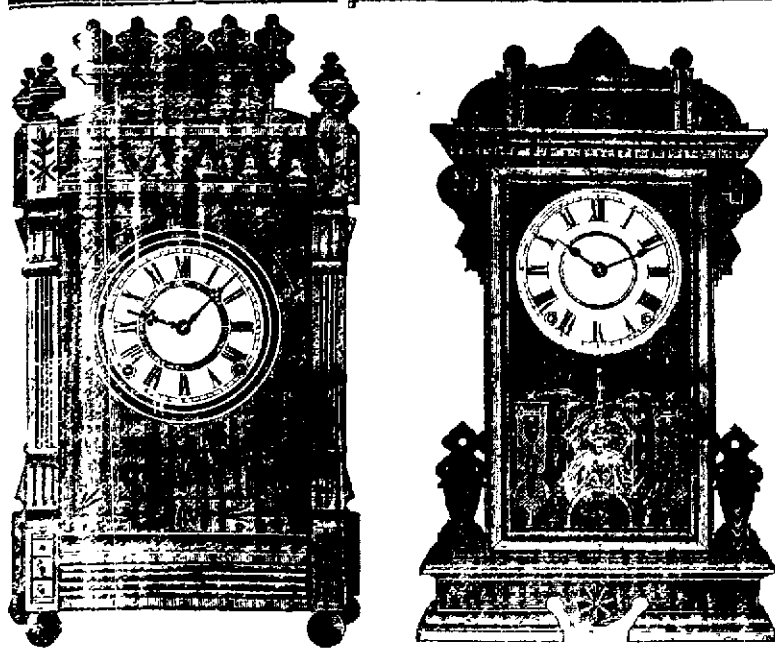


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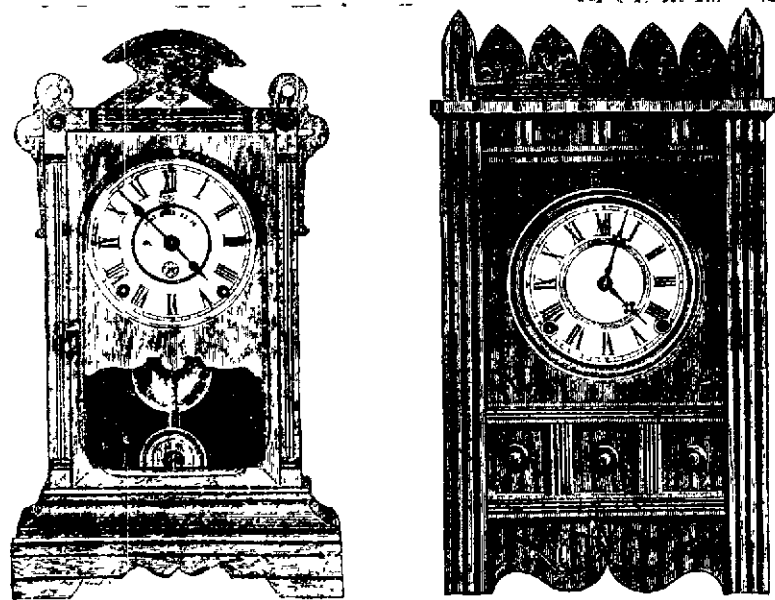


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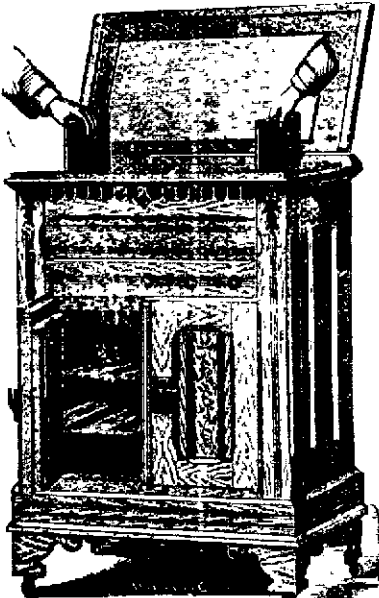
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WEDNESDAY EVE., MAY 5, 1886.

### LOCAL NEWS.

THE Alaska Refrigerator is what you want. Sold only at E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co's.

But the Maffit ice.

COMEDY-DRAMA all next week.

PRAYER meetings this evening.

THAT road scraper for the city cost \$175, not \$275.

STRAWBERRIES from Mississippi are on sale in Decatur to-day at 35 cents a box.

PREDICTION: "Local rains, followed by fair, cooler weather."

LADIES' fine Hand-turned Shoes, new goods, at Barber & Baker's.

19-dit

The Wash pay our visited Decatur last evening and employees were paid for March work.

Buy your Fishing Tackle at H. Mueller & Sons, 138 Merchant St.

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Last night the Wash took 85 men to Chicago, about 30 of whom went from Decatur.

A PICTURE of the new English Lutheran church, that is to be, may be seen in the window of the National bank.

Buy ice of Maffit—Telephones 100.

An illustrated letter from Washington, "A Day with Cleveland," appears on the fourth page of this issue.

Lots of new goods at the 99 Cent Store.

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THERE was a big overflow of guests at the St. Nicholas last night. The Palace accommodated many of the late arrivals.

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The finest line of Spring Styles of Ladies' and Gent's foot-wear in the city at J. H. Black & Son's.

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THERE is no official announcement that the troops will be withdrawn at once from East St. Louis. There is an ugly spirit among the men who say they wish to continue the strike.

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SUPERIOR canned fruits and country butter at Niedermeyer's grocery store, on the Mount.

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Don't forget that you can get the very latest sheet music at O. B. Prescott's parlour any day in the week.

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Tax members of the Cumberland Presbyterian congregation will probably build a new church at Mt. Zion during the present year. Rev. Bankson is the pastor in charge.

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HARRY IRVIN has opened a stylish cigar stand at the 99 cent store, and invites his friends and the public to call. Imported cigars a specialty. may1-dit

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WALTON K. HEDGECOCK has disposed of his interest in the North Church street grocery store to his brother Clark, who will continue the business himself. Walton will take a rest.

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MALAGA GRAPES just received at Harry Miller's, next door to Brewer's Bakery.

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PETER ULLRICH invites you to call at his family grocery store. Fresh lake fish and nice vegetables every day.

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SPRINGING, and C. & W. McClean Base Ball goods, cheaper than ever before, at B. Mueller & Son's, 138 Merchant street.

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The state coat miners meet at Springfield to-day to arbitrate on prices. There may be a hitch that will cause trouble of a serious nature. Hope not.

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LADIES' Patent Leather Oxfords are the newest style for Spring—B. C. D. widths, at Powers & Haworth's. ap27-dit

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WILLIAM TRAYER has paid William Barrackman \$1,125 for 75 acres of land in Whitmore township, four miles northwest of the city.

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PARTIES going East or West, North or South, should call on O. H. Brown, Wash ticket office, Union Depot. 26-dit

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The Gilmore band left for Bloomington this morning, where they gave a matinee at 1 o'clock to-day. They appear at Peoria to night. There are 44 people in the party, and while in Decatur all were entertained at the St. Nicholas hotel.

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ORANGE pineapples, Malaga grapes, and all tropical fruits at Harry Sauer's fruit store, North Water street. 1-36

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DEAL with A. J. Smith & Son, grocers, at Beane's old stand. Goods delivered promptly to any part of the city.

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SUCKER Sutter's "Little Darling" Havana filled cigar. ms3-dit

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TRY Hanks & Patterson for fresh vegetables, at 143 South Water street. Tomato and cabbage plants on sale.

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FOR low rates to California via all routes, single or round trip tickets, call on O. H. Brown, Wash ticket office, Union Depot. mar25-dit

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This is the season of the year when you need a new buggy, road cart, wagon or carriage. D. F. Hamsher, at his old stand on Wood street, will give you a real bargain. Just see his display, learn his low prices, and you will buy.

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USE nothing but the Royal brand Fish Hooks, for sale by H. Mueller & Son. mi-dit

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REMEMBER that White Foam and the Eclipse brands of flour are made by Hatfield & Co. by the new patent reduction process—all flour absolutely pure.

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STONE your stones with W. F. Dennis & Bro., and have them put up in the fall in first-class shape. 611 North Water St. mar30-dit

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H. M. WHITMAN is using his hard-burnt brick to pave the street in front of his block, on South Water street. The bricks are well burnt, and look like they will stand the racket as well as other brick.

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Luscious pineapples just received from Florida, bananas, Malaga grapes, and a full line of fruits at Harry Sauer's, North Water street. 1-36

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LADIES are always looking for something substantial and pretty at low figures to decorate their homes. They will find just what they want at Abel & Locke's old reliable house, where there is an endless variety of stylish carpets, wall paper and novelties.

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Fon Artists' Supplies call on Meyer & Son, who will give you the lowest prices. dit

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STRIP in at Dushman & Meyer's furniture store, in Haworth block, and let them show you these beautiful parlor and chamber sets—all at low figures.

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FIT and STYLE cost nothing. They are only the result of experience and taste. See advertisement of "T. C. & Co." clothing.

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W. A. BRIDGES, at 538 North Water street, is ready to do paper hanging and painting on short notice at reasonable rates. ap24-dit

## BLOOD IN CHICAGO.

Lives Lost in Chicago and at Milwaukee.

Proclamation by Mayor Harrison Issued To-Day.

GOV. OGLESBY AT SPRINGFIELD

(Special to the REPUBLICAN.)

CHICAGO, ILL., May 5—2 p. m.—There was only one tragedy of consequence last night, that on Haymarket Square, where six policemen were killed and 20 wounded. So far as known several Socialists were killed and 30 were wounded.

To-day at the corner of 18th street 8,000 Socialists gathered and sacked a saloon and drug store, completely demolishing both. The police dispersed the mob. No lives lost.

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Mayor Harrison has just issued a proclamation warning all people not to collect in crowds on the streets to night and to remain at home.

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(Special to the REPUBLICAN.)

MILWAUKEE, May 5, 2 p. m.—There was a violent demonstration by strikers to-day, when the military fired into the crowd and killed seven strikers, wounding many others. In their frenzy the mob sacked the home of the captain of a military company. Rioting continues.

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(Special to the REPUBLICAN.)

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., May 5, 2 p. m.—Governor Oglesby arrived home from Kentucky Tuesday morning. He is in receipt of no telegrams of violence at Chicago later than particulars given in Chicago papers. He has received no request from Chicago to order out the state militia, and of course will not do so until such request has been received from the civil authorities after they have exhausted their power to quell the disturbance and prevent bloodshed. Chicago has a police force of 600 to 1,000 men, and the sheriff of Cook county has sworn in extra deputies.

The Governor is informed to-day that everything remains quiet at East St. Louis. When asked when the troops were to be drawn from that point, he cautiously replied, "Between now, and—after awhile."

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False Alarm.

Captain Wells has received no instructions to lead the Decatur Guards in readiness to go to Chicago. The first and second regiments in and about Chicago, with the police, ought to be able to clean out the turbulent outlaws.

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Wash officials in Decatur got word from Chicago early this morning that during last night 200 people, mostly policemen, were killed and wounded by the strikers throwing bombs, and that there was a running fight all night.

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Paris Visitors.

Mayor Barr and members of the council of Paris, Ill., together with citizens, will arrive in Decatur in a special car on the Midland road at 11:30 a. m. tomorrow. They come here on invitation of Mayor Kanan to inspect the Jenney Electric Light system. The visitors will be received by the Mayor, gas committee and merchants. The visitors will remain here until Friday morning.

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Orator of the Day.

The Grand Army Post has selected Dr. Vosburgh, of the Baptist church, to deliver the oration at Greenwood cemetery on Memorial Day. As May 30th falls on Sunday, no doubt Saturday, the 29th, will be observed in Decatur. The Post definitely decide upon the date at one of its meetings this month. The Post will conduct the ceremonies.

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Was it Suicide or Accident?

Coroner Port has had another talk with parties from the vicinity of Oreana who know something of interest about the young man found dead in the creek near Argenta on April 26th. It is known that the man who is supposed to be H. W. Wilson was at the Strong place on the 25th, where he got breakfast. He seemed to be in a hurry, and he had been at Monticello, that when he left that town he had \$30 and a gold watch; went to Bensent, and then came to Decatur; while here he bought land, and with suicidal intent; did not tell what became of the money and watch; said he had taken enough land to kill an ordinary man, and was on his way to Chicago. When told he was going toward Chicago by way of Monticello, said he did not want to go to Monticello and thought he was on the Illinois Central road. Said he was a boy agent, and was fired by, as he could not make anything. He left the Strong place saying, "this may be my last day on earth anyhow." Possibly the man may have killed himself, or death may have resulted from accident by falling off the bridge into the creek, 20 feet below. The man had \$1.05 on his person.

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Fined \$1 and Costs.

This forenoon Justice Eymann had Harry James, Charles Potter and Willy Bone before him, all three charged with having waylaid Willie Jones, whom they assaulted. The accused were fined \$3 and costs each.

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It is the judgment of Attorney Mills that it takes 5 votes to pass an ordinance over the head of the Mayor, in case of a veto. The law says it can be done only by a two-thirds majority of all members of the council elected. The Mayor is certainly a member of the council. He did not vote Monday night on the motion to adopt the amended liquor ordinance, and so the decision is in doubt at present. The vote was 7 to 3 against sustaining the Mayor. Had he voted, the result would have been 8 to 3, and the ordinance would remain in force, as he desires it should.

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Struck Gas.

Thomas Davis, living near Macon, while boring for water Tuesday afternoon struck gas at a depth of 90 feet. When lighted, the shooting gas made a flame 12 feet high from the top of the well. At last accounts the gas was still burning.

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There is reported a steady flow of gas from the well at the tile yard of Robinson & Mentzer, at Cerro Gordo. The well is 125 feet deep. The discovery of natural gas causes much interest and no little excitement among the people of the localities named.

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A REMARKABLY handsome woman is said to be the moving spirit in a philanthropic movement in Russia to supply the poor of that country with Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

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In chronic and stubborn cases of neuralgia, gout, and rheumatism, use Selsville Oil. It is the greatest pain destroyer of the age. Price only 25 cents.

## The Gilmore Artists.

Decatur had another rare musical feast at the opera house last night, when P. S. Gilmore and his great band of 44 musicians—everyone an artist—appeared before a large and appreciative audience.

Gilmore gave Decatur a matinee one forenoon in 1878, but owing to brief announcement of his coming only a few were out. Last night the lower floor seats were occupied and the gallery was pretty well filled. There is no more noted or excellent band on earth than that over which Mr. Gilmore presides. It is known on both sides of the Atlantic and has been praised and applauded without stint, and deservedly so. The programme as outlined yesterday was faithfully observed, with but one exception. Miss Fitch, the sprightly and handsome soprano, appeared, but as she was not in good voice substituted the "Sweetest" song for "The Central de Yentee." She was called back when she gave another pretty song, with the full band as an accompaniment, who is a capable and clever vocalist, and if her voice had been in perfect condition no doubt she would have electrified the audience. The performance by the band is beyond criticism. The many instruments were subject to the motion of the baton in the hand of the Great Director, and all blended in perfect harmony, each number receiving enthusiastic applause. The euphonium, baritone and flute solos were also greatly enjoyed. The gem selections by the band were Gottschalk's "Last Hope," familiar airs from "The Mikado," "The British Patrol," and the grand descriptive fantasia, "Travel of the Band in Europe." The representation of the storm at sea and the railway train proved pleasing surprises to the audience, and all were glad when the Yankee-Doodle air kept chipping in among the tunes of other countries, just to show that it is no use trying to drown America. The concert is generally pronounced a grand treat. Gilmore wore his medals, and was well pleased with his reception here. He takes his band to New York on Decoration Day, where he receives \$1000 for playing two hours. Then he goes to Long Branch for two weeks. He is soon to be at Chicago for two weeks and at St. Louis for two weeks. Prof. Bent, the cornetist, receives a salary of \$125 a week and other players salaries proportionately large.

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Consummated.

Yesterday Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Drake sold their acre and a quarter of ground outside the city limits on North Water street, for \$3,000. The purchasers were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kabrick, who will take possession as soon as the Drake family can secure a suitable residence in the city to occupy until they open the new hotel at the J. L. Fenton property.

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Tax miners in the employ of the Ellisworth Coal Co., at Stanton, Mt. Ohio, and Warden, held a meeting Saturday and decided to continue work at 50¢ per ton till the expiration of the contract, June 8th. At the expiration of that time the company has agreed to advance their pay to 62½ cents—the scale price. The scale selling price of coal in St. Louis is an advance of 37¢, and the Ellisworth Coal Co. has agreed not to cut the selling price between this and June 8th. The scale price is a benefit to the miner and the company. The Decatur company is paying 70¢ a ton. The new scale fixes the Decatur price at 77½ cents a ton to be paid miners.

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There will probably be no arrest in the Jacob Longnecker assault to kill case, the particulars of which family affair were given over a week ago. The warrant was sworn out, but it has not been served. Perhaps the defendant, who had come to town twice to have his head bandaged by a surgeon, has been induced to forgive and forget.

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GRAIN IN STOCK IN CHICAGO.

Weekly Statement, compiled from the books of the State Warehouse Registrar, showing the amount, in bushels, of each kind of grain in store in the Public Warehouses of Chicago at the close of business on

SATURDAY, May 1, 1886.

Kind of Grain. Increase or Decrease of Stock during week. To, Amt. of Stock on hand last week. Increase or Decrease of Stock during week. Total amt. of Stock on hand this week.

Wheat 1,103,322 15,120 1,118,442

Barley 45,897 4,348 50,245

Oats 1,141,181 128,750 1,269,931

Rye 1,221 54,884 56,105

Hay 476,348 675,559 1,151,907

Net decrease during the week, 20,011 bushels.

J. W. HUTCHES, Warehouse Registrar.

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YESTERDAY near Delavan a C. & A. freight train broke in two and four tramps who were stealing a ride got killed. The tramps were on cars loaded with lumber. Names not known.

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THE Bluegrass Shop will make it to your interest who needs a piece of work in the vehicle line, especially new jobs, and will do repair and repaint all the same. 5-32ml

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Screams of Laughter.

The Burlington Hawke, speaking of the Felix A. and Eva Vincent company, which is to commence a week's engagement at the opera house Monday evening, says:

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Screams of laughter and shouts of applause burst frequently from the large audience last night. In the beautiful drama of "Father and Son" Mr. Vincent did some of the best emotional acting ever witnessed here, and gave the greatest pleasure to all. The piece finely illustrated the faithfulness and honesty of the ideal servant, and has many touching and tender scenes. This was followed by a musical farce entitled "The Bonny Fish," which made much merriment, and in which Miss Vincent displayed her rare gifts. She sings sweetly and dances finely, and is also an emotional actress of rare power.

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Reduced prices—10, 20 and 30 cents.

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For Boys.

Waists, for 4, 6, 8, 10 and 12 years, only 19 cents each, at Bradley Bro's, Popular New York Store. may6-dit

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JOHN GRASS is prepared at all times to make contracts for laying brick sidewalks; will furnish the Tile Co. brick, striped or black, at 8 cents per square foot. may3-dit

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SPRING SHAWLS, large and elegant assortment, at low prices.

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LYNN & ROGERS.

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Kid Gloves.

Children's and Misses' Kid Gloves, Silk Gloves, and French Lace Gloves, just received at Bradley Bro's, Popular New York Store. may6-dit

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Attention, G. A. R.

There will be a special meeting of Dunham Post No. 141, G. A. R., Friday evening, April 7th. Important business. R. G. BOLLARS, S. V. Com.

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Crushed Coke.

Penn. Crushed Coke, at Martin's—the cheapest fuel. Try it. E. L. MARTIN.

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## At a Good Old Age.

Mrs. Hettie B. Aston, relict of the late Rev. Samuel M. Aston, and the mother of Mrs. James Milhkin, passed peacefully away yesterday afternoon at a quarter past two o'clock. She was afflicted with no particular form of disease, but having reached the limit of life which the Psalmist says can only be attained by reason of more strength," consequently "the silver cord was loosed," and without a tremor, she passed from "the earthly house of her tabernacle" to her "Father's house of many mansions," which her Senior has gone to prepare for her. Having been an invalid for years, all that filial love and devotion could suggest was done to make her declining years the brightest and happiest of her long life.

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The funeral service will be held at the family residence at 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

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A Story by "Chas."

Mrs. F. B. Freeley, sister of Mrs. Oasa Chenoweth and widely known in the literary world as "Chas," is the author of a very cleverly written story. Peck's Sun of a recent date contained the following allusion to the production:

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In Peck's Sun of March 27th appeared the closing chapter of Chas's novel, "The Woe of an Expert." The story contains twenty-six chapters, each one full of interest. We have taken considerable pains to ascertain the opinion of the public in regard to this novel, and it seems to be universally conceded, that the story contains much that is beautiful, and that the author has succeeded in creating characters novel, original and with all true to life. The character of Chas is certainly unique, strong, self-willed and capricious, but sweet, loving, womanly. And in Victorian times, a woman so self-willed and capricious, and yet so sweet, is a rare thing. The story is well drawn, and cannot fail to win the reader's admiration. The story will undoubtedly soon be published in book form, and we bespeak for it a deserved success.

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Miss Freely was lately in Decatur on a visit among her many friends.

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